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SUBJECT: UN UNIVERSITY (UNU) POSITION PAPER

REF: ECOSOC AGENDA ITEM 4 (D-308/78; SD/E/3078) SUMMARY
FOLLOWS

1. PROBLEM: AN ANNUAL REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE UN
UNIVERSITY WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE ECOSOC MEETING.
2. RELATIVE IMPORTANCE TO THE UNITED STATES: THIS IS AN
ISSUE OF LOW LEVEL IMPORTANCE TO THE UNITED STATES BECAUSE
IT IS AN INFORMATIONAL ITEM ON THE AGENDA THAT DOES NOT
REQUIRE ACTION.
3. U.S. POSITION: A) THE U.S. DELEGATION SHOULD PROCEED
WITH CAUTION IN MAKING ANY STATEMENTS BECAUSE OF THE UNCER-
TAIN NATURE OF U.S. CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS THE UNIVERSITY.
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- B) USDEL SHOULD EXPRESS SATISFACTION WITH THE REPORT AND
EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR THE CONCEPT OF THE UNIVERSITY.
- C) USDEL MAY NOTE THAT THE U.S. IS PLEASED WITH THE
REPRESENTATION OF AMERICANS AMONG THE UNIVERSITY STAFF--
THE RECTOR OF THE UNIVERSITY, THE REPRESENTATIVES ON THE
COUNCIL, AND OTHERS SERVING IN THE PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT
AREA OF THE UNIVERSITY ARE AMERICANS.

4) THE USDEL MAY WISH TO NOTE, IF THE QUESTION ARISES, THAT THE U.S. IS PLEASED WITH THE COMPLEMENTARY NATURE OF UNU AND UN INSTITUTE FOR TRAINING AND RESEARCH. (UNITAR). AT THIS POINT THE USDEL MAY ALSO RAISE THE POINT THAT THE DIRECTOR OF UNITAR IS AN EX-OFFICIO MEMBER OF THE UN UNIVERSITY COUNCIL. 5) THE USDEL MAY MAKE A SPECIAL COMMENTATION TO THE CONTRIBUTING COUNTRIES OF UNU, ESPECIALLY THE MAJOR DONORS: GHANA, DOLS 2.5 MILLION; JAPAN, DOLS 100 MILLION; SAUDI ARABIA, DOLS 5 MILLION, SENEGAL DOLS 1 MILLION AND VENEZUELA DOLS 10 MILLION. CHRISTOPHER

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